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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FRANCE FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS ABILENE DIVISION 2017 HAR 16 PM 1: 22

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	§ 8	DEFUTY GLERK
v.	\$ <b>\$</b>	CASE NO. 1:17-CR-018-O-BL-1
SAMUEL BRETT SMITH	8 8 8	

## **REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**

SAMUEL BRETT SMITH by consent, under authority of <u>United States v. Dees</u>, 125 F.3d 261 (5<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1997), has appeared before me pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 11, and has entered a plea of guilty to the Indictment. After cautioning and examining **SAMUEL BRETT SMITH** under oath concerning each of the subjects mentioned in Rule 11, I determined that the guilty plea was knowledgeable and voluntary and that the offenses charged are supported by an independent basis in fact containing each of the essential elements of such offense. I therefore recommend that the plea of guilty be accepted and that **SAMUEL BRETT SMITH** be adjudged guilty and have sentence imposed accordingly.

Date: March 16, 2017.

E.SCOTT FROST

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

## **NOTICE**

Failure to file written objections to this Report and Recommendation within fourteen (14) days from the date of its service shall bar an aggrieved party from attacking such Report and Recommendation before the assigned United States District Judge. 28 U.S.C. §636(b)(1)(B).